

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.

PCT/US04/34633

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC(7) : G01N 33/53, 21/76, 33/533, 33/552, 33/548; C07C 211/64.

US CL : 435/7.2, 7.1; 436/172, 526, 527, 529; 564/282

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

U.S. : 435/7.2, 7.1; 436/172, 526, 527, 529; 564/282

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	US 5,695,946 (Benjamin et al.) 9 December, 1997; especially abstract; column 3, lines 25-36; column 4, lines 53-64; column 10, lines 5-26	1-11 and 13-28
A	US 5,294,537 (Batt) 15 March 1994, especially claims 7-8 and 10-14.	1-9 and 13-26
A	US 6,228,606 B1 (Facon et al.) 08 May 2001; especially claims 1-8.	1, 8-9 and 25-26
A	US 6,203,996 B1 (Duffy et al.), 20 March 2001; especially claims 1-11.	1-7
Y	US 6,355,449 B1 (Chen et al.) 12 March 2002; especially abstract; column 3, lines 40-65; column 11, lines 14-18 and claims 1-3.	1-29
Y	US 6,586,196 B1 (Bronstein et al.) 01 July 2003; especially abstract; column 5, lines 30-60; column 6, lines 1-62; column 7, lines 1-67; column 12, lines 51-63; column 13, lines 1-67; column 14, lines 1-67 and compound (III) and column 19, lines 17-53.	1-29
Y	US 5648227 (Basboll) 15 July 1997, column 9, lines 15-20	1-29

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